Mr. I. E. Ambooken.—How much have you taken for each class ?

Rao Sahib Mr. C. Matthai.—We give only half.

Mr. I. E. Ambooken.—Is it at Rs. 15 per class ?

Rao Sahib Mr. C. Matthai.—Rs. 15 or Rs. 20, whatever that may be.

Mr. I. E. Ambooken.—May I take it as Rs. 15 ?

Rao Sahib Mr. C. Matthai.—You may take like that.

Mr. I. E. Ambooken.—Then, the amount of Rs. 3,000 is more than what is mentioned. It is only in 174 classes that the system has been introduced.

Rao Sahib Mr. C. Matthai.—But in one school it may be in more than one class.

Cochin Teachers' Association.

142. Mr. I. E. Ambooken.—1. Will the Government be pleased to state whether they have approved the Cochin Teachers' Association and its rules, etc. ;

2. will the Government be pleased to state whether they have helped the Teachers' Association in any way, and, if the answer is in the affirmative, will they be pleased to state the particulars of the helps rendered till now ;

3. will the Government be pleased to state whether they have issued any circular to the Managers of the Aided Schools or teachers of Aided or Sirkar Schools to the effect that the number of members of the Teachers' Association may be increased in number ?

Rao Sahib Mr. C. Matthai.—1. Yes.

2. Orders have been issued to the Inspecting Officers to render assistance to teachers in their jurisdiction in forming themselves into branches and groups affiliated to the Cochin Teachers' Association. School buildings are allowed to be made use of for holding meetings of the Central and Branch Associations. A donation of Rs. 100 was given to the Association for conducting a Teachers' Magazine.

3. No.

Recognition of Nemmara High School.

143 Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—1. Will the Government be pleased to state why recognition to the Nemmara High School was withdrawn in 1096 and under what article of *the Educational Code* was this done ;

2. when was the grant to this school stopped and why ; what article of *the Code* was violated by the Manager ;

3. whether the Government is in receipt of an 'open statement' before the Government of Cochin by R. Govinda Menon,

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